Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 BRUSSE 03823 092205Z

66
ACTION EUR-25

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 AGR-20 AID-20 CEA-02 CIAE-00 COME-00

EB-11 FRB-02 INR-10 NSAE-00 RSC-01 CIEP-02 STR-08

TRSE-00 LAB-06 SIL-01 OMB-01 PA-03 PRS-01 USIA-12

SS-15 NSC-10 RSR-01 /152 W
---------- 035465
R 091905Z JUL 73
FM AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8047
INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY DUBLIN
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE
AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG
AMEMBASSY BONN
AMEMBASSY ROME
AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN
USMISSION EC BRUSSELS
USMISSION OECD PARIS

UNCLAS BRUSSELS 3823

PASS AGRICULTURE

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAGR, ETRD, EGEN, BE
SUBJECT: PRESS COMMENTS ON U.S. SOYBEAN EXPORTS CONTROLS

REF: BRUSSELS 3750

1. STIMULATED BY THE PRESS CONFERENCE AT WHICH EC COMMISSIONER LARDINOIS EXPRESSED HIS CONCERN OVER U.S. EXPORT CONTROLS ON SOYBEAN PRODUCTS AND HIS INTENTION TO VISIT THE U.S. TO DISCUSS THEM, COMMENTS ON THE ISSUE FINALLY BEGAN TO APPEAR IN LARGE CIRCULATION BRUSSELS NEWSPAPERS LAST WEEKEND. TAKING THEIR CUE FROM LARDINOIS' REMARKS, LA LIBRE BELGIQUE AND
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 BRUSSE 03823 092205Z

LE SOIR BOTH WARNED THAT THE U.S. ACTION GIVES WEIGHT TO THE

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

ARGUMENT THAT TOO GREAT RELIANCE ON IMPORTS OF VITAL AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES HAS ITS DANGERS AND THAT U.S. ARGUMENTS FOR SPECIALIZATION HAVE LOST CREDIBILITY. AS A RESULT U.S. DEMANDS FOR FREER ACCESS TO EC AGRICULTURAL MARKETS DURING THE UPCOMING NIXON ROUND NEGOTIATIONS WILL, AND IN THEIR OPINION SHOULD, BE EVEN MORE STRONGLY RESISTED BY THE EC.

2. STANDAARD ALSO ECHOED SOME OF LARDINOIS' POINTS AND NOTED IRONICALLY THAT IN THE PAST THE U.S. HAS FIRMLY RESISTED ANY PROPOSAL TO SIMULATE EC SOYBEAN PRODUCTION, EVEN THOUGH THE POTENTIAL IS NOT VERY GREAT.
STRAUSZ-HUPE

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, EXPORT CONTROLS, SOYBEANS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 09 JUL 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973BRUSSE03823
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: BRUSSELS
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730747/aaaabikp.tel
Line Count: 73
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION EUR
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 73 BRUSSELS 3750
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: kellerpr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 18 DEC 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <18-Dec-2001 by thomasv0>; APPROVED <21-Dec-2001 by kellerpr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PRESS COMMENTS ON U.S. SOYBEAN EXPORTS CONTROLS
TAGS: EAGR, ETRD, BE, US
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005